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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: James O. Gilkerson et al. Examiner: Jeffrey Jastrzab  
Serial No.: 10/025,958 Group Art Unit: 3762  
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETECTION ENHANCEMENT  
PROGRAMMING

**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Rejection dated December 22, 2004 and Advisory Action dated April 8, 2005, said period of response being extended from March 22, 2005 to April 22, 2005.

**Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted,

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